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Dear Josh:

Belated congratulations on
your election to the National Academy
which has just now come to my atten-
tion. No one knows more than I how
well deserved this is; as a matter of
fact, it should have happened several
years ago.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Francis". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Francis J. Ryan
Professor of Zoology

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